



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 121

LCO No. 404

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Referred to Committee on Environment

Introduced by:
(ENV)

***AN ACT CONCERNING THE EXTENSION OF GENERAL PERMITS
ISSUED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2010*) The Commissioner of
2 Environmental Protection may continue in effect any general permit
3 issued by the commissioner pursuant to the provisions of title 22a of
4 the general statutes, beyond the expiration date for such permit,
5 provided the commissioner publishes notice of a tentative
6 determination to renew such general permit in accordance with any
7 applicable provision of said title 22a not less than one hundred eighty
8 days prior to the expiration date of such general permit. Any such
9 general permit continued in effect beyond its expiration date shall
10 remain in effect until the commissioner makes a final decision on the
11 renewal of such general permit, in accordance with the provisions of
12 said title 22a. The commissioner may require the remittance of a
13 registration fee in an amount not to exceed the existing registration fee
14 for such general permit whenever a general permit is continued in
15 effect beyond its expiration date. Nothing in this section shall affect the
16 obligation of any person to register for a general permit pursuant to

17 the provisions of said title 22a in a timely fashion or to comply with
18 any general permit issued by the commissioner pursuant to the
19 provisions of said title 22a.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
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Section 1	<i>October 1, 2010</i>	New section
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Statement of Purpose:

To avoid any gaps in coverage under a general permit issued by the Commissioner of Environmental Protection.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]